

## **Connecting Kids to Coverage Outreach and Enrollment – AI/AN Grants**

### **Questions from Prospective Applicants**

24. QUESTION: Our tribal organization is submitting a “Connecting Kids to Coverage” Outreach and Enrollment Grants Focused on Increasing Enrollment of American Indian/Alaska Native Children grant application. We intend to partner with multiple agencies and want to make sure our partners submit a letter of support for our project and we need to know who the partners should address their letters of support to?

ANSWER: Your partners should submit their letters of support to you.

25. QUESTION: Are there any requirements in this year’s application regarding required travel for training? I did not see it mentioned in the body of the RFP, but on page 42 in the budget template, it says to “explain need for all travel other than that required by this application.” Please clarify whether or not there is travel required, and if so, what is the required amount to be set aside for training.

ANSWER: There is no specific requirement that you must provide travel for training. However, if you wish to provide training, and travel is necessary, you must include in your budget the estimated funding required for training, the estimated travel costs associated with the training and a description of how the training will further the objectives of the grant.

26. QUESTION: We are proposing to host “Connecting Kids to Coverage Fun Days” These events would include a bouncy house, modestly priced food, and children’s activities, and would allow parents to enroll their children while the kids are engaged with fun activities. Are these allowable costs under the grant?

ANSWER: The costs for these events are allowable as long as they are reasonable and tied to the purpose of the grant. Food is not an allowable cost in most instances, except as explained in Question # 15.

27. QUESTION: We are interested in offering incentives to parents and children to encourage enrollment, such as \$20 gas vouchers for the parents who enroll their children, and a cultural incentive for each child that is re-enrolled in year two. The cultural incentives would include a cultural book and CD for kids 6 years of age and below (\$35/child); and a stickball stick for those who are 7 years of age and up (\$50/child). Are such costs allowable?

ANSWER: The costs to provide incentives are allowable as long as they are reasonable and tied to the purpose of the grant.

28. QUESTION: We would like to pay for promotional items to give away at event booths. Is there an established limit for costs on these items per unit?

ANSWER: The FOA doesn't exclude promotional items, so providing them would be allowable as long as the cost is reasonable and the items tie into the goals and objectives of the grant program.